

Proposed Rate Structure For Ferrum Water and Sewage Authority Water and Sewer Rate Structure

Proposed Effective Date February 1, 2014

Sewer Customers

1. Residential Unit: Houses and Apartments			
Minimum Usage	1,000 gallons	\$15.00	Minimum Billing
All Over	1,000 gallons	\$6.50	per 1,000 gallons
2. Residential Unit: Houses and Apartments			
Unlimited Usage	Non-metered	\$25.00	Flat Charge
3. Commercial Unit: Non Manufacturing			
Minimum Usage	2,000 gallons	\$48.00	Minimum Billing
All Over	2,000 gallons	\$6.50	per 1,000 gallons
4. Industry/School			
Minimum Usage	10,000 gallons	\$180.00	Minimum Billing
All Over	10,000 gallons	\$6.50	per 1,000 gallons
5. College			
Minimum Usage	2,200,000 gallons	\$19,000.00	Minimum Billing
All Over	2,200,000 gallons	\$6.50	per 1,000 gallons

Connection Charges

Water	Cost plus \$500.00
Sewer	Cost plus \$500.00

Availability Fees

Water	\$1,500.00
Sewer	\$2,500.00

Non User Fees

Water	Minimum Billing per classification
Sewer	Minimum Billing per classification

New Customer Deposits

Residential Water	\$75.00
Residential Sewer	\$75.00
Commercial Water and Sewer	\$350.00
Industrial Water and Sewer	\$750.00

Late Payment Fee

1.5% per month, 18% per year

Reconnection Fee

\$40.00

Returned Check Fee

\$10.00

Septage Receiving Fee

\$75.00 per 1,000 gallons

NOTES:

1. Rates are based on actual metered water usage.
2. All new sewer customers will have a metered water supply, and will be billed on water usage.
3. If full payment is not received within 30 days a late payment charge will be applied.
A Notice of Termination will be sent if full payment is not received within 30 days and if payment is not received within ten (10) days of the Notice of Termination, service will be disconnected.
If an account deposit is on file, the deposit will be applied to the outstanding balance.
The required account deposit will be restored, the Reconnection Fee will be paid, and the past due amount will be paid in full before service is restored.
4. Single meter connection with multiple users.
Each User's Minimum Usage and Minimum Billing will be added together,
Additional usage above the total Minimum Usage will be billed at the All Over rate.
One bill will be issued to the owner of the premises.
5. After twelve (12) consecutive months of on time paid bills, the account deposit will be returned.
6. Connection and Availability Fees will be paid up front before work begins.
The amount of the Connection Fee shall be determined from FWSA estimate or FWSA approved Contractor estimate. If the work exceeds the FWSA estimate or approved Contractor estimate, an invoice will be issued and it shall be paid before service begins. If the work is less than FWSA estimate or approved Contractor estimate, a refund will be issued.
7. Septage Receiving will be on a case-by-case basis.
All septage will be tested by the Authority at it's discretion.